

REMARKS

This paper is responsive to a final Office action dated June 16, 2008. Claims 1-30 were examined.

Applicants appreciate the courtesy extended by the Examiner in the telephone interview of September 23, 2008 and the telephone message on September 24, 2008. The claim amendments in the instant amendment reflect the agreement reached that proposed amendments, which are submitted herein, would be allowable.

The amendments incorporate the limitations from claims 3 and 4 into claim 1. Claims 3 and 4 have been canceled. Claim 5 has been put in independent form. Claim 15 has been amended to include limitations of claim 30 and to include limitations similar to those of claim 1. Claims 19, 20, 21, 24, 27, 28-30 have been canceled.

In summary, claims 1-2, 5-18, 22-23, and 25-26 are in the case. All claims are believed to be allowable over the art of record, and a Notice of Allowance to that effect is respectfully solicited. Nonetheless, if any issues remain that could be more efficiently handled by telephone, the Examiner is requested to call the undersigned at the number listed below.

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